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SENATE DRS35319-TFz-3A\* (09/26)

Short Title: Environmental Technical Corrections 2012. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Rouzer, East and Jackson.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING, CONFORMING, AND TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS  
3 TO VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES,  
4 AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 113-182.1(e) reads as rewritten:

7 "(e) The Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources shall monitor progress in the  
8 development and adoption of Fishery Management Plans in relation to the Schedule for  
9 development and adoption of the plans established by the Marine Fisheries Commission. The  
10 Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources shall report to the Joint Legislative  
11 Commission on Governmental Operations on progress in developing and implementing the  
12 Fishery Management Plans on or before 1 September of each year. The Secretary of  
13 Environment and Natural Resources shall report to the ~~Joint Legislative Commission on~~  
14 ~~Seafood and Aquaculture~~ Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations within 30  
15 days of the completion or substantial revision of each proposed Fishery Management Plan. The  
16 Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations shall review each proposed Fishery  
17 Management Plan within 30 days of the date the proposed Plan is submitted by the Secretary.  
18 The Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations may submit comments and  
19 recommendations on the proposed Plan to the Secretary within 30 days of the date the proposed  
20 Plan is submitted by the Secretary."

21 **SECTION 2.(a)** G.S. 113A-151.1 is amended to add a new subsection to read:

22 "**§ 113A-115.1. Limitations on erosion control structures.**

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24 (i) No later than September 1 of each year, the Commission shall report to the  
25 Environmental Review Commission on the implementation of this section. The report shall  
26 provide a detailed description of each proposed and permitted terminal groin and its  
27 accompanying beach fill project, including the information required to be submitted pursuant to  
28 subsection (e) of this section. For each permitted terminal groin and its accompanying beach  
29 fill project, the report shall also provide all of the following:

30 (1) The findings of the Commission required pursuant to subsection (f) of this  
31 section.

32 (2) The status of construction and maintenance of the terminal groin and its  
33 accompanying beach fill project, including the status of the implementation  
34 of the plan for construction and maintenance and the inlet management plan.



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1 (j) The regulatory requirements for the establishment, operation, and monitoring of a  
2 compensatory mitigation bank or full delivery project shall vest at the time of the execution of  
3 the mitigation banking instrument or the award of a full delivery contract."

4 **SECTION 4.(b)** Sections 1.2 and 1.3 of S.L. 2011-343 are repealed.

5 **SECTION 5.** G.S. 143B-279.8(f) reads as rewritten:

6 "(f) The Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources shall report to the  
7 Environmental Review Commission and the ~~Joint Legislative Commission on Seafood and~~  
8 ~~Aquaculture [Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations]~~ Joint Legislative  
9 Commission on Governmental Operations within 30 days of the completion or substantial  
10 revision of each draft Coastal Habitat Protection Plan. The Environmental Review Commission  
11 and the Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations shall concurrently review  
12 each draft Coastal Habitat Protection Plan within 30 days of the date the draft Plan is submitted  
13 by the Secretary. The Environmental Review Commission and the Joint Legislative  
14 Commission on Governmental Operations may submit comments and recommendations on the  
15 draft Plan to the Secretary within 30 days of the date the draft Plan is submitted by the  
16 Secretary."

17 **SECTION 6.** This act is effective when it becomes law.